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Evaluating Social Media Networks in Medicines Safety Surveillance: Two Case Studies.

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SUPPLEMENTARY APPENDIX

Description and list of terms used in the search queries.

To retrieve messages that linked adverse events to the drug or vaccine of interest, we created search queries by combining each drug with each AE term. This resulted in 50 queries for rosiglitazone+cardiovascular event (5 terms Rosiglitazone \times 10 terms cardiovascular event) and 66 queries for HPV vaccine+infertility (6 terms HPV vaccine \times 11 terms infertility).

Rosiglitazone:

Rosiglitazone
Avandia
Avandamet
Avandaryl
Avaglim

Rosiglitazone AE:

stroke
attack
infarct
infarction
ischemia
CVA
apoplexy
accident
pain
MI

HPV vaccine:

HPV vaccine
Human papilloma vaccine
Gardasil
Cervarix
Gardasil
Silgard

HPV vaccine AE:

Ovarian
Ovary
Menopause
Infertility
Infertile
Amenorrhea
Menstruation
Menses
Period
Pregnancy
Pregnant